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#### ASSET TRANSFER AND ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

THIS ASSET TRANSFER AND ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT is entered into as of the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 1999 (this "Agreement"), by and between ADVANCE STORES COMPANY, INCORPORATED, a Virginia corporation ("Advance"), LARALEV, INC., a Delaware corporation ("LARALEV") and WESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY, a Delaware corporation ("Western Auto").

#### RECITALS

- A. Western Auto is the owner of certain assets relating to the operation of retail stores under the name "Parts America" (the "Parts America Business").
- B. Western Auto desires to transfer to Advance, and Advance wishes to accept the transfer of, certain assets and liabilities related to the Parts America Business, as more fully described herein.
- C. Western Auto desires to transfer to LARALEV, and LARALEV wishes to accept the transfer of, certain intellectual property used in the Parts America Business, as more fully described herein.

#### AGREEMENT

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and of the mutual agreements set forth in this Agreement, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, on the terms and subject to the conditions of this Agreement, the parties hereby agree as follows:

#### ARTICLE I DEFINITIONS

#### Section 1.1 Certain Defined Terms.

The following capitalized terms when used herein shall have the following meanings (such terms to be equally applicable to both the singular and the plural forms of the terms defined):

"Agreement" is defined in the preamble.

"Assumed Liabilities" has the meaning set forth in Section 2.5.

"Closing Date" means January 2, 1999.

"Contracts" means, collectively, all contracts, agreements, leases (whether of personal or real property), commitments, insurance policies and other obligations of Western Auto, whether written or oral, including the Assigned Contracts defined in Section 2.4, and the Excluded Contracts, defined in Section 2.3.

"Excluded Assets" is defined in Section 2.3.

"Excluded Liabilities" has the meaning set forth in Section 2.6.

"Transferred Assets" is defined in Section 2.1.

## ARTICLE II TRANSFER AND ASSIGNMENT OF ASSETS

Section 2.1 Transfer of Assets to Advance.

Section 2.2 <u>Transfer of Assets to LARALEV</u>. Upon the terms and subject to the conditions of this Agreement, Western Auto hereby quitclaims, transfers and conveys to LARALEV, and LARALEV hereby accepts from Western Auto, all right, ritle and interest of Western Auto in and to the registered and unregistered trademarks, trade names, patents and copyrights owned by Western Auto or used by Western Auto in the conduct of the Parts America Business including, without limitation, the trademarks and patent application listed on <u>Schedule 2.2</u>, and excepting trademarks or trade names that are Excluded Assets.

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Section 2.3 <u>Excluded Assets</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in Section 2.1, the Acquired Assets shall not include any of the following assets, properties and rights of Western Auto (collectively, the "Excluded Assets"):

Section 2.4 Assignment

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Section 2.6 Excluded Liabilities.

### ARTICLE III MISCELLANEOUS

Section 3.1 No Additional Representations. Advance hereby affirms that it has not relied upon any representation or warranty, express or implied, made by Western Auto as to the Parts America Business or the Acquired Assets other than as expressly set forth in this Agreement, and Western Auto shall not be liable to Advance or any other person as the result of Advance's or such other person's reliance on such other information. Western Auto makes no representation or warranty regarding the Parts America Business or the Acquired Assets, and the Acquired Assets are being transferred "AS IS."

Section 3.2 Cooperation.

- Section 3.3 <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement, together with the Schedules hereto, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and supersede all prior oral and written, and all contemporaneous oral, negotiations, agreements and understandings between the parties.
- Section 3.4 <u>Amendments and Waivers</u>. No amendment of any provision of this Agreement shall be valid unless the same shall be in writing and signed by Advance and Western Auto. No right or power of a party shall be deemed to have been waived by any act or conduct of such party unless such party expressly waives such right or power in a writing signed by such party.

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Section 3.5 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which together will constitute one and the same instrument.

Section 3.6 Severability. If any provision of this Agreement or the application thereof to any Person or circumstances shall be invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby and shall be enforced to the fullest extent permitted by Applicable Law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each party has caused this Agreement to be duly executed on its behalf and shall be effective as of the day and year first written above.

> ADVANCE STORES COMPANY, INCORPORATED

Name: Barnett E. South

IIS: President and Chief Execution Officer

LARALEY, INC.

Name: Its:

WESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY

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Chief FINANCIA OFF.

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# Schedule 2.2 Parts America Trademarks

| Mark  | Registration Number |
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| American Spirit                             | 1,242,721           |
| Auto America (and Design)                   | 1,820,152           |
| Benny's Carports Outlet                     | 1,164,998           |
| Guarantee Auto                              | 1,180,032           |
| Just Can't Get Along Without My Wheels      | 1,851,789           |
| Low Price Good Advice                       | 1,310,585           |
| Low Price Good Advice                       | 1,404,476           |
| Midland                                     | 895,483             |
| Midland                                     | 927,123             |
| Nationwise                                  | 1,322,659           |
| Nationwise                                  | 1,323,970           |
| Nationwise (and Design)                     | 1,322,658           |
| Nationwise Auto Parts (and Design)          | 1,188,492           |
| Parts America                               | 75/470,450          |
| Parts America (and Design)                  | 1,700,944           |
| Patriot                                     | 1,261,662           |
| Pro-Control                                 | 2,046,221           |
| Revelation                                  | 705,133             |
| Revelation                                  | 754,867             |
| Sentry                                      | 255,631             |
| Sport GI                                    | 1,802,663           |
| Streethawk                                  | 74/608,717          |
| Taking Care of People Who Take Care of Cars | 1,471,052           |
| Tire America                                | 1,249,311           |

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| Tire Source                       | 1,956,753 |
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| Tough One                         | 1,715,139 |
| Toughmaster                       | 1,671,684 |
| Western Flyer                     | 289,857   |
| Western Flyer                     | 440,857   |
| Wheels Discount Auto Supply Store | 1,395,360 |
| Wizard                            | 837,072   |

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